

SIXTH DAY

(Tuesday, January 17, 1933)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Hicks.
Adamson.	Hill of Brazoria.
Aikin.	Hill of Webb.
Alexander.	Hodges.
Alsup.	Holekamp.
Anderson	Holland.
of Bexar.	Holloway.
Anderson	Hoskins.
of Johnson.	Huddleston.
Baker.	Hughes.
Barrett.	Hunt.
Barron.	Hyder.
Beck.	Jackson.
Bedford.	James.
Bourne.	Jefferson.
Bradley.	Johnson
Burns.	of Anderson.
Butler.	Johnson
Calvert.	of Dimmit.
Camp.	Jones of Atascosa.
Canon.	Jones of Runnels.
Cathey.	Jones of Shelby.
Caven.	Kayton.
Chastain.	Kyle of Hays.
Clayton.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Colson.	Laird.
Coombes.	Latham.
Cowley.	Lemens.
Crossley.	Leonard.
Daniel.	Lindsey.
Davidson.	Long.
Dean.	Lotief.
Devall.	Magee.
Dunlap.	Mackay.
Dunagan.	Mathis.
Duvall.	McClain.
Engelhard.	McCullough.
Fain.	McGregor.
Few.	McKee.
Fisher.	Merritt.
Ford.	Metcalfe.
Fuchs.	Mitcham.
Glass.	Moffett.
Golson.	Moore.
Good.	Morrison.
Goodman.	Morse.
Graves.	Munson.
Greathouse.	Palmer.
Griffith.	Parkhouse.
Haag.	Patterson.
Hankamer.	Pavlica.
Harman.	Pope.
Harris.	Puryear.
Harrison.	Ramsey.
Hartzog.	Ratliff.
Head.	Ray.
Hester.	Reader.

Reed of Bowie.	Stinson.
Reed of Dallas.	Stovall.
Renfro.	Sullivan.
Riddle.	Tarwater.
Roberts.	Tennyson.
Rogers of Hunt.	Thomas.
Rogers	Tillery.
of Ochiltree.	Townsend.
Rollins.	Turlington.
Ross.	Van Zandt.
Russell.	Vaughan.
Savage.	Walker.
Scarborough.	Weinert.
Scott.	Wells.
Shannon.	West.
Shults.	Winningham.
Smith.	Wood.
Stanfield.	Young.
Steward.	

Absent—Excused

Dwyer.	Nicholson.
McDougald.	Wagstaff.

A quorum was announced present.
Prayer was offered by Rev. Geo. W. Coltrin, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Munson for today, on motion of Mr. Burns.

Mr. McDougald for today, on motion of Mr. Parkhouse.

Mr. Dwyer for today, on motion of Mr. Tillery.

Mr. Nicholson was granted leave of absence for today on account of illness, on motion of Mr. Hankamer.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Holland and Mr. Bradley:

H. B. No. 81, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 6229, 6230, 6231, 6232, 6233, 6234, 6235, 6236, 6237, 6238, 6239, 6240, 6241, 6242, and 6243, Title 109, Chapter 2, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, providing pension fund for employes of cities and towns over ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants in the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Stanfield:

H. B. No. 82, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6954, Chapter 6, Title 121, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended in Chapter 245 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature of Texas, as amended in Chapter 5, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-first Legislature of Texas, etc., and declaring an emergency." (With reference to the mode of preventing horses and certain other animals from running at large in the counties named so as to include in said Article the County of Armstrong.)

Referred to Committee on Live Stock and Stock Raising.

By Mr. Burns:

H. B. No. 83, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the Texas Prison Board, through its general manager, bidding for contracts to supply the State with printing, binding and supplies of like character with the Board of Control without a bond, and entering into such contracts with the Board of Control without a bond, and entering into such contracts with the Board of Control without executing a bond, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Public Printing.

By Mr. Reed of Bowie and Mr. Fain:

H. B. No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 40-a of Chapter 212, of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and declaring an emergency." (Relating to quarterly reports of owners of sulphur mines, etc.)

Referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Savage and Mr. Engelhard:

H. B. No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of the Supreme Court and the Courts of Civil Appeals of Texas in the preparing and filing opinions on findings of fact and conclusions of law in cases under consideration by them; defining terms, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Thomas:

H. B. No. 86, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing cities and towns under 5,000 inhabitants to establish and maintain municipal chambers of commerce or boards of city development, and to appropriate funds of the municipality for that purpose, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Thomas:

H. B. No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act to declare a closed season on the killing of blue quail, bob whites, and doves in Yoakum County, for a period of five years, prescribing a penalty therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Duvall, Mr. Colson, Mr. Morrison, Mr. Savage, Mr. Hill of Brazoria, and Mr. Stinson:

H. B. No. 88, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for liens in favor of hospitals and other institutions furnishing care, treatment, and maintenance of persons injured in accidents, upon the rights of action, claims, and demands of such injured persons against other persons or corporations for damages on account of negligence causing the injuries, and upon the proceeds of the settlements of any such claims or demands, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Jones of Atascosa:

H. B. No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 784, 790, 792, 794, 795, 796, 797, 797-a, 798, 799, 804, 805, 806, 808, 811, 812, 813, 815, 817, 821, and 822, and the last and concluding paragraph of Article 801—being the paragraph following the numbered Section (N) and prescribing the penalty under said Article—of the Penal Code of Texas, 1925; and amending Sections 14-d and 14-f, Chapter 88, Acts, Second Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature; etc., and declaring an emergency." (Relating to operating motor vehicles, obstructing public highways, etc.)

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON
FIRST READING

The following House joint resolutions, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Bradley:

H. J. R. No. 6, Proposing to amend Section 4, of Article VI, of the Constitution of Texas, so that in all elections by the people the vote shall be by secret ballot; that the Legislature shall provide therefor and shall make such other regulations as may be necessary to detect and punish fraud, and that the Legislature provide for registration of voters."

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Mr. Mackay and Mr. Reed of Bowie:

H. J. R. No. 7, Proposing an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution, of the State of Texas, by amending the text of Section 1-a; providing for submission of same to the qualified electors of the State; providing for the necessary proclamation and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the proclamation, publication, and election.

Referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

REGARDING ADMISSION TO THE
HALL

Mr. Johnson of Dimmit moved that the action, by which House Rule XXIX was, on yesterday, ordered invoked during the inaugural ceremonies, be rescinded at this time, and that the Speaker be authorized to issue passes for admission to the Hall of the House, in so far as the Speaker might deem it advisable.

The motion prevailed.

RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE
SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled resolutions:

H. C. R. No. 1, Relative to the abandonment of certain forts.

H. C. R. No. 2, Providing for a Joint Session of the House and Senate to count votes cast for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor.

H. C. R. No. 3, Providing for the appointment of a committee to count the votes cast for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor.

H. C. R. No. 4, Providing for the payment of the expenses of the inaugural ceremonies, and fixing the amount to be expended.

H. C. R. No. 6, Fixing the time for the Joint Session of the House and Senate for the purpose of inaugurating the Governor-elect and Lieutenant-Governor-elect.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,

Austin, Texas, January 17, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted

S. C. R. No. 5, Relative to the per diem of certain Senators.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

TO GRANT W. T. STARR PERMISSION
TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Sullivant offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 7, To grant W. T. Starr permission to sue the State.

Whereas, On or about November 15, 1931, Mr. W. T. Starr, of Gainesville, Texas, who was then in the employ of the State Highway Department of Texas, and was working in the vicinity of Gainesville, Texas, upon the State Highway; and

Whereas, Said W. T. Starr, while in the discharge of his duties, was seriously injured, and is still suffering from the effects of the injury; and

Whereas, Mr. W. T. Starr has never been compensated by the State for the injuries received while in its employ. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, the Senate concurring, That W. T. Starr be, and is hereby, granted permission to bring suit against the State of

Texas in a court of competent jurisdiction in order to determine compensation for injuries received, if any he can show, while in the employ of the State Highway Department, and that service of citation, or other necessary process, may be had upon the Highway Commission and the Attorney General with the same force and effect as in civil cases.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Sullivant, the resolution was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

STANDING COMMITTEES APPOINTED

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following standing committees:

Committee on Agriculture

Messrs. Tarwater, Chairman; Merritt, Vice-Chairman; Alexander, Baker, Barrett, Crossley, Engelhard, Fain, Few, Fuchs, Hicks, Hoskins, Huddleston, Hodges, Jones of Runnels, Parkhouse, Pavlica, Puryear, Rogers of Hunt, Weinert, and Winningham.

Committee on Appropriations

Messrs. Harman, Chairman; Kayton, Vice-Chairman; Burns, Butler, Chastain, Clayton, Coombes, Daniel, Dunlap, Ford, Good, Graves, Harrison, Hyder, McGregor, Pope, Ramsey, Riddle, Scott, Sullivant, and Stovall.

Committee on Banks and Banking

Messrs. Johnson of Dimmit, Chairman; Palmer, Vice-Chairman; Dwyer, Fisher, Fuchs, Goodman, Harrison, Hartzog, Holekamp, Jones of Runnels, Jones of Shelby, Lotief, Morse, Nicholson, Parkhouse, Reed of Dallas, Renfro, Scarborough, Stovall, Tennyson, and West.

Committee on Claims and Accounts

Messrs. Engelhard, Chairman; Puryear, Vice-Chairman; Adamson, Aikin, Anderson of Johnson, Bedford, Camp, Cathey, Dean, Huddleston, and Jones of Runnels.

Committee on Commerce and Manufactures

Messrs. Nicholson, Chairman; Latham, Vice-Chairman; Crossley, Duvall, Jefferson, McKee, Ross, Scarborough, Stinson, Turlington, and Wells.

Committee on Common Carriers

Messrs. Patterson, Chairman; Johnson of Anderson, Vice-Chairman; Adamson, Alsup, Anderson of Bexar, Baker, Canon, Cathey, Few, Goodman, Jefferson, Laird, Nicholson, Palmer, Pavlica, Ray, Reader, Reed of Dallas, Rollins, and Stinson.

Committee on Congressional and Legislative Districts

Messrs. Ramsey, Chairman; Clayton, Vice-Chairman; Alsup, Barron, Bedford, Canon, Chastain, Crossley, Hill of Brazoria, Johnson of Dimmit, Kyle of Hays, McClain, Metcalfe, Moffett, Morrison, Steward, Tarwater, Tillery, Winningham, Wells, and West.

Committee on Conservation and Reclamation

Messrs. Baker, Chairman; Colson, Vice-Chairman; Fain, Hicks, Hartzog, Huddleston, Leonard, McKee, Magee, Munson, Ray, Reed of Bowie, Riddle, Roberts, Rogers of Ochiltree, Ross, Smith, Stanfield, Steward, Tennyson, and West.

Committee on Constitutional Amendments

Messrs. Moffett, Chairman; Moore, Vice-Chairman; Alexander, Alsup, Bourne, Caven, Dean, Engelhard, Fisher, Ford, Hankamer, Hester, Hodges, Johnson of Dimmit, McGregor, Merritt, Ross, Tennyson, Thomas, Van Zandt, and Vaughan.

Committee on Contingent Expenses

Messrs. Holloway, Chairman; Beck, Vice-Chairman; Hyder, Lemens, and Savage.

Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence

Messrs. Walker, Chairman; McCullough, Vice-Chairman; Bourne, Burns, Butler, Calvert, Clayton, Davidson, Devall, Golson, Graves, Hill of Webb, Holland, Jones of Atascosa, Latham, McClain, Mathis, Munson, Ratliff, Reed of Bowie, and Vaughan.

Committee on Counties

Messrs. Johnson of Anderson, Chairman; Jefferson, Vice-Chairman; Aikin, Alsup, Bourne, Few, Good, Jones of Atascosa, Laird, Wagstaff, and Wood.

Committee on Education

Messrs. Laird, Chairman; Glass, Vice-Chairman; Aikin, Barrett, Butler, Chastain, Clayton, Cowley, Harman, Hester, Hicks, Holekamp, Hunt, Latham, Lemens, Mitcham, Riddle, Shults, Stovall, Tarwater, and Tennyson.

Committee on Engrossed Bills

Messrs. Harrison, Chairman; Hyder, Vice-Chairman; Parkhouse, Townsend, and Turlington.

Committee on Enrolled Bills

Messrs. Rogers of Hunt, Chairman; Morrison, Vice-Chairman; Good, Rollins, and Ross.

Committee on Examination of Comptroller's and Treasurer's Accounts

Messrs. Weinert, Chairman; Good, Vice-Chairman; Camp, Canon, Haag, Hill of Webb, Hunt, Kyle of Hays, Magee, Rollins, and Sullivant.

Committee on Federal Relations

Messrs. Fisher, Chairman; Huddleston, Vice-Chairman; Barrett, Caven, Haag, Mrs. Hughes, Messrs. Lindsey, Magee, Metcalfe, Townsend, and Wagstaff.

Committee on Game and Fisheries

Messrs. Hoskins, Chairman; Holekamp, Vice-Chairman; Baker, Barrett, Devall, Fuchs, Head, Hester, Hartzog, Hill of Brazoria, Holloway, Jefferson, Mackay, Merritt, Puryear, Reed of Bowie, Roberts, Rogers of Hunt, Russell, Sullivant, and West.

Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic

Messrs. Kayton, Chairman; Rogers of Ochiltree, Vice-Chairman; Baker, Beck, Bedford, Engelhard, Hicks, Holloway, Hoskins, James, Kyle of Palo Pinto, Lotief, Morrison, Pope, Reed of Bowie, Reed of Dallas, Rogers of Hunt, Scott, Shannon, Smith, and Tillery.

Committee on Insurance

Messrs. Anderson of Bexar, Chairman; Holloway, Vice-Chairman; Camp, Colson, Coombes, Fisher, Good, Goodman, Greathouse, Griffith, Hartzog, Holekamp, Hoskins, Lemens, Leonard, Lindsey, Pope, Renfro, Roberts, Russell, and Wood.

Committee on Judicial Districts

Messrs. Chastain, Chairman; Cowley, Vice-Chairman; Aikin, Lindsey, McClain, Ratliff, Stanfield, Shults, Thomas, Van Zandt, and Wagstaff.

Committee on Judiciary

Messrs. Goodman, Chairman; Hill of Brazoria, Vice-Chairman; Anderson of Johnson, Barron, Calvert, Caven, Daniel, Duvall, Greathouse, Hankamer, Mrs. Hughes, Messrs. Jones of Atascosa, Johnson of Dimmit, McCullough, Moore, Shults, Stanfield, Stinson, Reed of Dallas, Van Zandt, and Vaughan.

Committee on Liquor Traffic

Messrs. Savage, Chairman; Butler, Vice-Chairman; Bedford, Cathey, Dwyer, Fain, Golson, Graves, Hill of Webb, Hodges, Holekamp, Hankamer, Moore, Ramsey, Ray, Steward, Thomas, Tillery, Wells, Winningham, and Wood.

Committee on Labor

Messrs. Smith, Chairman; James, Vice-Chairman; Bradley, Davidson, Fisher, Greathouse, Hankamer, Holland, Holloway, Mrs. Hughes, Messrs. Jackson, Jefferson, Laird, Latham, Lotief, McCullough, McKee, Pavlica, Van Zandt, Winningham, and Young.

Committee on Live Stock and Stock Raising

Messrs. Fuchs, Chairman; Harris, Vice-Chairman; Alexander, Baker, Dwyer, Haag, Hankamer, Jones of Atascosa, Laird, Lotief, Mackay, Merritt, Palmer, Puryear, Shannon, Sullivant, Tarwater, Tillery, Townsend, Walker, and West.

Committee on Military Affairs

Messrs. Coombes, Chairman; Devall, Vice-Chairman; Colson, Cowley, Dunagan, Head, McKee, Munson, Patterson, Scarborough, and Wagstaff.

Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations

Messrs. Barron, Chairman; Alexander, Vice-Chairman; Anderson of Johnson, Coombes, Davidson, Glass, Greathouse, Harrison, Huddleston, Hyder, Jackson, Johnson of Anderson, McDougald, Mitcham, Morse, Ratliff, Reader, Reed of Dallas, Riddle, Rollins, and Shannon.

Committee on Oil, Gas, and Mining

Messrs. Long, Chairman; Renfro, Vice-Chairman; Anderson of Bexar, Chastain, Colson, Dunagan, Glass, Holloway, Hyder, Kyle of Palo Pinto, Latham, McDougald, Moore, Nicholson, Patterson, Roberts, Rogers of Ochiltree, Stanfield, Steward, Turlington, and Walker.

Committee on Penitentiaries

Messrs. Burns, Chairman; McClain, Vice-Chairman; Adamson, Beck, Canon, Colson, Daniel, Davidson, Few, Golson, Graves, Griffith, Harris, Holland, Hyder, Jackson, Jones of Runnels, Jones of Shelby, Morrison, Palmer, and Rogers of Hunt.

Committee on Privileges, Suffrage, and Elections

Messrs. Leonard, Chairman; Shults, Vice-Chairman; Adamson, Bradley, Calvert, Caven, Dunagan, Golson, Hester, Holloway, Jones of Shelby, Kayton, Lemens, Mathis, Mitcham, Merritt, Ramsey, Rogers of Hunt, Ross, Walker, and Young.

Committee on Public Health

Messrs. Reader, Chairman; Dunlap, Vice-Chairman; Anderson of Bexar, Anderson of Johnson, Bradley, Cathey, Coombes, Crossley, Duvall, Griffith, Harris, Hill of Webb, Jackson, James, Jones of Shelby, Kyle of Palo Pinto, Lemens, McDougald, Patterson, Thomas, and Renfro.

Committee on Public Lands and Buildings

Messrs. Greathouse, Chairman; Dean, Vice-Chairman; Ford, Haag, Hodges, Mrs. Hughes, Messrs. Jackson, Johnson of Dimmit, Jones of Atascosa, Long, McGregor, Metcalfe, Mitcham, Moffett, Pavlica, Ramsey, Ratliff, Townsend, Wagstaff, Weinert, and Young.

Committee on Public Printing

Messrs. Pavlica, Chairman; Dunagan, Vice-Chairman; Bradley, Burns, Camp, Hunt, Kyle of Palo Pinto, Lindsey, Mackay, Parkhouse, and Smith.

Committee on Revenue and Taxation

Messrs. Duvall, Chairman; Barron, Vice-Chairman; Alexander, Daniel,

Devall, Dunlap, Glass, Harman, Harris, Hill of Brazoria, James, Kayton, Moffett, Nicholson, Palmer, Pope, Stinson, Scott, Tarwater, Wood, and Weinert.

Committee on Rules

Messrs. Pope, Chairman; Stovall, Vice-Chairman; Harman, McGregor, and Morse.

Committee on School Districts

Messrs. Scott, Chairman; Tillery, Vice-Chairman; Dunagan, Fain, Head, Hunt, Kyle of Hays, Mackay, Russell, Scarborough, and Turlington.

Committee on State Affairs

Messrs. Mathis, Chairman; Shannon, Vice-Chairman; Anderson of Bexar, Barron, Beck, Cowley, Dean, Dunlap, Dwyer, Engelhard, Ford, Hill of Webb, Lotief, McGregor, Magee, Morse, Rogers of Ochiltree, Savage, Vaughan, Weinert, and Wells.

Committee on State Eleemosynary and Reformatory Institutions

Messrs. Daniel, Chairman; Calvert, Vice-Chairman; Aikin, Fisher, Griffith, Head, James, Johnson of Anderson, Kyle of Hayes, Leonard, McCullough, McDougald, Mathis, Metcalfe, Morrison, Munson, Ray, Reader, Russell, Savage, and Young.

INAUGURATION OF GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

At the hour of 11:30 o'clock a. m., fixed by a concurrent action of the two Houses for the Senate and the House of Representatives to meet in Joint Session for the purpose of inaugurating the Governor-elect and the Lieutenant-Governor-elect, the Honorable Senate, escorted by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, A. W. Holt, and the Secretary of the Senate, Bob Barker, advanced into the Hall, and, by direction of the Speaker of the House, occupied seats prepared for them along the aisle.

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Hon. Walter Woodul, by invitation of the Speaker, occupied a seat on the Speaker's stand.

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate directed the Secretary to call the roll of the Senate.

The roll of the Senate was called, and the following Senators answered to their names:

Beck	Pace
Blackert	Parr
Collie	Patton
DeBerry	Poage
Duggan	Purl
Fellbaum	Rawlings
Greer	Redditt
Holbrook	Regan
Hopkins	Russek
Hornsby	Sanderford
Martin	Small
Moore	Stone
Murphy	Woodul
Neal	Woodward
Oneal	

Absent

Cousins	Woodruff
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A quorum of the Senate was announced present.

Speaker Stevenson directed the Clerk to call the roll of the House.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Dunlap.
Adamson.	Dunagan.
Aikin.	Duvall.
Alexander.	Engelhard.
Alsup.	Fain.
Anderson	Few.
of Bexar.	Fisher.
Anderson	Ford.
of Johnson.	Fuchs.
Baker.	Glass.
Barrett.	Golson.
Barron.	Good.
Beck.	Goodman.
Bedford.	Graves.
Bourne.	Greathouse.
Bradley.	Griffith.
Burns.	Haag.
Butler.	Hankamer.
Calvert.	Harman.
Camp.	Harris.
Canon.	Harrison.
Cathey.	Hartzog.
Caven.	Head.
Chastain.	Hester.
Clayton.	Hicks.
Colson.	Hill of Brazoria.
Coombes.	Hill of Webb.
Cowley.	Hodges.
Crossley.	Holekamp.
Daniel.	Holland.
Davidson.	Holloway.
Dean.	Hoskins.
Devall.	Huddleston.

Hughes.	Puryear.
Hunt.	Ramsey.
Hyder.	Ratliff.
Jackson.	Ray.
James.	Reader.
Jefferson.	Reed of Bowie.
Johnson	Reed of Dallas.
of Anderson.	Renfro.
Johnson	Riddle.
of Dimmit.	Roberts.
Jones of Atascosa.	Rogers of Hunt.
Jones of Runnels.	Rogers
Jones of Shelby.	of Ochiltree.
Kayton.	Rollins.
Kyle of Hays.	Ross.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Russell.
Laird.	Savage.
Latham.	Scarborough.
Lemens.	Scott.
Leonard.	Shannon.
Lindsey.	Shults.
Long.	Smith.
Lotief.	Stanfield.
Magee.	Steward.
Mackay.	Stinson.
Mathis.	Stovall.
McClain.	Sullivant.
McCullough.	Tarwater.
McGregor.	Tennyson.
McKee.	Thomas.
Merritt.	Tillery.
Metcalfe.	Townsend.
Mitcham.	Turlington.
Moffett.	Van Zandt.
Moore.	Vaughan.
Morrison.	Walker.
Morse.	Weinert.
Munson.	Wells.
Palmer.	West.
Parkhouse.	Winningham.
Patterson.	Wood.
Pavlica.	Young.
Pope.	

Absent—Excused

Dwyer.	Nicholson.
McDougald.	Wagstaff.

The Speaker announced a quorum of the House present.

The Speaker of the House and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate then announced that the two Houses were in Joint Session, in accordance with a resolution heretofore adopted, for the purpose of inaugurating the Governor-elect and the Lieutenant-Governor-elect.

The Hon. Miriam A. Ferguson, Governor-elect, the Hon. Edgar Witt, Lieutenant-Governor-elect, and par-

ties, accompanied by the Hon. C. M. Cureton, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and the committees on the part of the House and Senate, heretofore appointed to arrange for the inaugural ceremonies, appeared at the Bar of the House, and, being admitted, were escorted to seats on the Speaker's stand.

Bishop Clinton S. Quinn, of the Episcopal Diocese of Texas, offered prayer.

Miss Lillian Sellers, accompanied by Mrs. Stacy, sang several selections for the assemblage.

Hon. Edgar Witt, Lieutenant-Governor-elect, came forward and took the constitutional oath of office, which was administered to him by Chief Justice C. M. Cureton, and he also affixed his signature to the official oath, Chief Justice Cureton attesting same with the great seal of the Commonwealth of Texas.

Senator Walter Woodul, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, presented Lieutenant-Governor Edgar Witt.

Lieutenant-Governor Edgar Witt then addressed the Joint Session and the assemblage.

The Hon. Miriam A. Ferguson, Governor-elect, came forward and took the constitutional oath of office, which was administered to her by Chief Justice Cureton, and she affixed her signature to the official oath, Chief Justice Cureton attesting same with the great seal of the Commonwealth of Texas.

Hon. Coke Stevenson presented Hon. T. H. McGregor, who in turn introduced the Hon. Miriam A. Ferguson, Governor.

Governor Ferguson then addressed the Joint Session and the assemblage.

SENATE RETIRES

On motion of Senator Sanderford, the Senate, at 12:30 o'clock p. m., retired to its Chamber.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Mathis, the House, at 12:35 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, January 18.

APPENDIX

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, January 16, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 1, To protest the abandonment of Fort Russell, near Marfa, Texas,

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

LOUISE SNOW PHINNEY,
For Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, January 16, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 6, Providing for a Joint Session of the House and Senate to inaugurate the Governor and Lieutenant-Governor-Elect,

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

LOUISE SNOW PHINNEY,
For Chairman.

SEVENTH DAY

(Wednesday, January 18, 1933)

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Butler.
Adamson.	Calvert.
Aikin.	Camp.
Alexander.	Canon.
Alsup.	Cathey.
Anderson	Caven.
of Bexar.	Chastain.
Anderson	Clayton.
of Johnson.	Colson.
Baker.	Coombes.
Barrett.	Cowley.
Barron.	Crossley.
Beck.	Daniel.
Bedford.	Davidson.
Bourne.	Dean.
Bradley.	Devall.
Burns.	Dunlap.